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**UTILITY
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| Attorney Docket No. | 101221-594(687) |
| First Inventor | Robert Thomas Dzikowicz |
| Title | Latex Film Compound with Improved Tear Resistant |
| Express Mail Label | EV 328767303 US |

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages **15**]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **8**]

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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
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13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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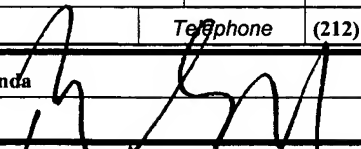
Prior application information: Examiner **Robert D. Harlan**Group / Art Unit: **1713**

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| 1003 | 520 | 2003 | 260 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 750 | 2004 | 375 | Reissue filing | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |
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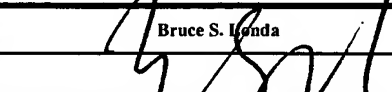
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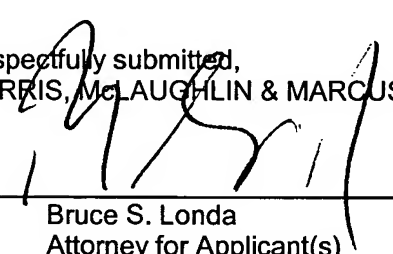
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Submitted herewith for entry and approval are eight (8) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-8) in the above-referenced application. Each sheet of drawing indicates the identifying indicia suggested in 37 CFR § 1.84(c) on the reverse side of the drawing.

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